Liber H. S. to the Person or Persons who shall sue for the same, the other Half to be paid to the Commissioners or Trustees of the Loan-Office, for the Time being; to be applied to the Sinking the Sum of Forty Thousand Pounds granted by the Act aforesaid; to be recovered by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint, or Information, in any Court of Record within this Province, wherein no Essoin, Protection, or Wager of Law, shall be allowed.

[Persons convict of illegal Use of Permits. to suffer as in Case of Perjury.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons who shall obtain any such Permit or Permits as aforesaid, and made such Oaths or Affirmation as aforesaid, shall be legally Convict of having made a double or illegal Use of the Permit or Permits as aforesaid, for the covering or importing more Rum, Spirits, Wine or Brandy, than is contained in the said Permit or Permits, he, she or they, shall suffer as in Case of wilful and p. 366 corrupt Perjury.

[Rum, &c. imported. without Permit, to be seized.]

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That all Rum, Spirits, Wine or Brandy, together with the Cask or Vessel containing the same, which shall after the said Eleventh Day of Tune be imported into this Province by Land from the Province of Pennsylvania, or the Three Lower Counties of New-Castle, Kent and Sussex, or the reputed Limits of the said Province or Counties, for the importing of which no Permit or Permits shall have been obtained as aforesaid, shall be subject and liable to be seized by any Naval-Officer, Sheriff, Under-Sheriff, or Constable, within this Province, and shall be forfeited, one Half thereof to the Use of the Person or Persons who shall seize the same, and the other Half to be paid to the Commissioners or Trustees of the Loan-Office, for the Time being, to be applied as aforesaid, and condemned in any Court of Record in this Province, by due Course of Law, if the Liquor seized exceeds the Quantity of Twenty-five Gallons, and if the Quantity of Twenty-five Gallons or under, then before any Justice of the Peace in this Province, in a summary Way.

[Officers suspecting Rum, &c. to be imported without Permit. to demand a Sight thereof; if refus'd, to seize the same.]

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for any Naval-Officer, Sheriff, Under-Sheriff, or Constable, that shall suspect that any Rum, Spirits, Wine or Brandy, has been imported by Land from the Province of Pennsylvania, or the Three Lower Counties of New-Castle, Kent and Sussex, without a Permit or Permits having been first obtained for importing the same, agreeable to the Directions of this Act, to demand a Sight of such Permit or Permits of the Person in whose Custody the said Rum, Spirits, Wine or Brandy, then is, and upon his, her or their refusing or delaying to produce the same, immediately to seize the said Rum, Spirits, Wine or Brandy, together with the Cask or Casks, or other Vessel or Vessels, which contain the same, and to carry and lodge the same in some secure Place for the Space of Seven Days after such Seizure; and if the Owner or Owners of